

St. Stanislaus BASEBALL



1989 SOUVENIR BASEBALL PROGRAM

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1989 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

			J.V.	VARSITY
Wednesday, March 1	Biloxi	Home	---	3:30
Friday, March 3	Picayune	Home	---	3:30
Tuesday, March 7	Gulfport	Away	4:30	7:00
Friday, March 10	Mercy Cross	Home	---	3:30
Saturday, March 11	Bros. Sacred	Baton Rouge	Bro. Martin	12:30
	Heart Tournament		Catholic H	3:00
Tuesday, March 14	Biloxi	Away	5:00	7:00
Friday, March 17	Laurel	Home	---	3:30
Tuesday, March 21	*d'Iberville	Home	---	3:30
Friday, March 24	*H N C	Home	---	3:30
Tuesday, March 28	*George County	Away	5:00	7:00
Friday, March 31	*East Central	Home	---	3:30
Saturday, April 1	Petal	Home	1:00	3:00
Tuesday, April 4	*St. Martin	Home	---	3:45
Friday, April 7	*George County	Home	---	3:30
Tuesday, April 11	*East Central	Away	5:00	7:00
Friday, April 14	*St. Martin	Away	5:00	7:00
Tuesday, April 18	*d'Iberville	Home	---	3:30
Saturday, April 22	Gulfport	Home	1:00	3:00
Tuesday, April 25	*H N C	Away	---	3:30
Friday, April 28	Mercy Cross	Away	---	7:00
Saturday, April 29	Petal	Away	5:00	7:00
Monday, May 1	Ocean Springs	Away	5:00	7:00
Friday, May 5	Pascagoula	Away	5:00	7:00

Principal: Brother Paul Montero, S.C.
 Athletic Director: Jerry Spell
 Head Coach: Mike Gemelli
 Assistant Coach: Rory Rafferty

SSC FAST FACTS

Location	Bay St. Louis, MS
Enrollment	Overall: 570
	Grades 6 - 8: 196
	High School 9 - 12: 374
	Boarding Students: 287
	Day Students: 283
Founded	1854
Nickname	Rockachaws
Colors	Red and Black
Principal	Bro. Paul Montero, S.C.
Athletic Director	Jerry Spell
Head Coach	Mike Gemelli
Assistant Coach	Rory Rafferty
Ballpark Dimensions (L-R)	310 - 340 - 385 - 340 - 310
SSC Head Coaches	
Football	Ken Lyons
Basketball	Chuck Genin
Track	Larry Ramsey
Tennis	Myron Labat
Soccer	Mark Foley
Golf	Jerry Spell

LET THERE BE LIGHTS!

The St. Stanislaus Baseball program has taken a major step forward this season with the SSC Board of Directors' approval of the lighting of our baseball complex.

Through the tireless efforts and dedication of contractor Carl Heitzmann, Joe Monti of Monti Electric Supply, electricians Louis Schruff and Jim Necaie, and Dr. J.D. Rutherford, our diamond now has a first-class lighting system installed.

The Rockachaw baseball team is extremely grateful to these individuals and to the many other people behind the scenes, particularly Brother Philip who regularly maintains the grounds of our ball park.

Our ballclub also extends its thanks and appreciation to our loyal fans who come out and support us every ballgame. The Rockachaws play with hustle and team spirit which reflects the pride that so many of you have instilled in our baseball program.

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THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ST. STANISLAUS BASEBALL PROGRAM

Last year the St. Stanislaus Rockachaw baseball team accomplished what no other SSC team had done in the past - they went to the Class 4A State Playoffs. In a thrilling 4-3 last-inning victory over St. Martin, the Rocks finished with a 7-3 district record. The District 4A Champion d'Iberville Warriors had an 8-2 worksheet, with one of their losses an 11-inning 3-1 decision to St. Stanislaus.

Although the Rocks were eliminated in the state playoffs by Petal (who had been in the state finals in three of the last four years), the groundwork was laid for a successful 1989 season. St. Stanislaus lost only four starters from their 1988 squad. The pitching staff of Cedric Smith, Greg Schruuff, Lloyd Nicaud, and Bert Dean have all returned for another season.

Cedric Smith had an exceptional 1988 season, finishing with a 9-3 record, 98 strikeouts, and a 1.39 ERA. These statistics led the entire Gulf Coast in all districts, which included over 75 pitchers from various schools.

Second baseman Greg Schruuff finished among the top five hitters on the Coast with a .429 average. His ability to get on base posed a threat to opposing pitchers, as he was successful in 14 out of 15 stolen base attempts.

A strong infield this year should help propel the Rocks into the playoffs once again. Scott Heitzmann will assume the catching duties where his defensive skills and hitting ability will play a major role. Senior leadership from shortstop Marc Matherne and first baseman/pitcher Lloyd Nicaud should fuel the Rocks' determination to win.

Look for sophomore third baseman Kevin Jacobi and freshman left fielder Mick Quinlan to generate excitement with their hustle and enthusiasm. Rounding out the outfield will be seniors Gino Ascani in center, and Tom Zant or Bert Dean in right field. Robbie Bishop should add the needed hitting power SSC needs at the plate.

Another big factor for the St. Stanislaus baseball program is the initiation of a Junior Varsity squad this year. Stephen Schruuff, Robbie Bourgeois, John Rutherford, Adam Breerwood, Scott Niolet, and Terrell Lafontaine will gain valuable playing experience which will help the Rockachaws establish the continuity needed for SSC to be perennial contenders.

Coach Mike Gemelli begins his second season as head coach, assisted by Rory Rafferty who also played his high school baseball at St. Stanislaus.

1989 VARSITY BASEBALL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POSITION	GRADE	HOMETOWN
2	Terrell Lafontaine	RF	9	Bay St. Louis, MS
4	Scott Heitzmann	C	12	Bay St. Louis, MS
5	Robbie Bourgeois	C	10	Bay St. Louis, MS
6	Tom Zant	RF	12	Fort Walton Beach, FLA
7	Stephen Schruoff	2B, P	9	Pass Christian, MS
8	Adam Breerwood	1B	9	Bay St. Louis, MS
9	Greg Schruoff	2B, P	11	Pass Christian, MS
10	Cedric Smith	P, 2B	11	Bay St. Louis, MS
11	Mick Quinlan	LF, P	9	Waveland, MS
13	Kevin Jacobi	3B, P	10	Waveland, MS
14	John Rutherford	3B	9	Bay St. Louis, MS
15	Bert Dean	RF, P	12	Bay St. Louis, MS
17	Scott Niolet	LF	10	Pass Christian, MS
18	Robbie Bishop	C, 3B	11	Pass Christian, MS
19	Marc Matherne	SS	12	LaPlace, LA
21	Gino Ascani	CF	12	New Orleans, LA
22	Lloyd Nicaud	1B, P	12	Hoboken, NJ

12 Coach Mike Gemelli

24 Coach Rory Rafferty





1989 ST. STANISLAUS ROCKACHAW BASEBALL TEAM

Kneeling: Marc Matherne, John Rutherford, Robbie Bourgeois, Stephen Schruff, Kevin Jacobi, and Adam Breerwood.

Standing: Coach Mike Gemelli, Scott Niolet, Cedric Smit., Bert Dean, Greg Schruff, Lloyd Nicaud, Mick Quinlan, Scott Heitzmann, Robbie Bishop, and Coach Rory Rafferty.

THE PLAYERS



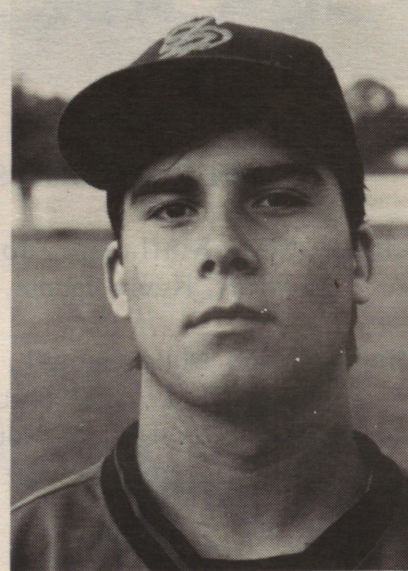
GINO ASCANI - CF
5'8" 165 lbs.
New Orleans, LA



BERT DEAN - RF, P
6'2" 180 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



LLOYD NICAUD - 1B, P
6'1 215 lbs.
Hoboken, New Jersey



MARC MATHERNE - SS
5'8" 175 lbs.
LaPlace, LA

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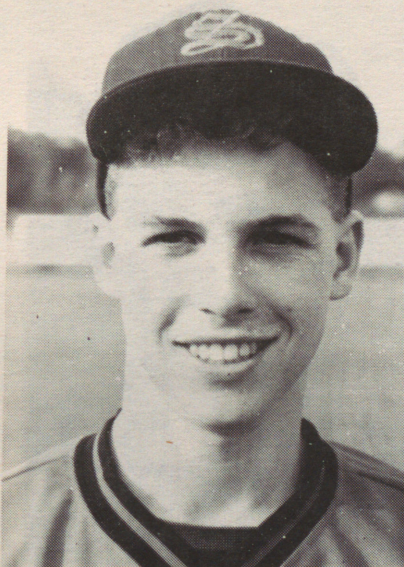
SCOTT HEITZMANN - C
6'0" 170 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



TOM ZANT - RF
5'10" 165 lbs.
Fort Walton Beach, Fla.



ROBBIE BISHOP - 3B, C
5'11" 180 lbs.
Pass Christian, MS



GREGG SCHRUFF - 2B, P
5'10" 160 lbs.
Pass Christian, MS

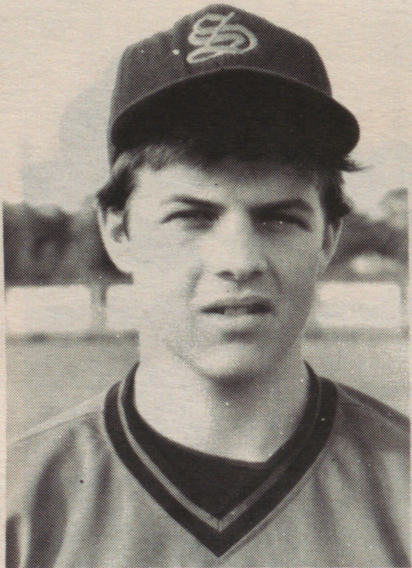
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CEDRIC SMITH - P, 2B
5'10" 160 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



KEVIN JACOBI - 3B, P
5'9" 155 lbs.
Waveland, MS



SCOTT NIOLET - LF
5'10" 165 lbs.
Pass Christian, MS



MICK QUINLAN - LF, P
5'9" 155 lbs.
Waveland, MS

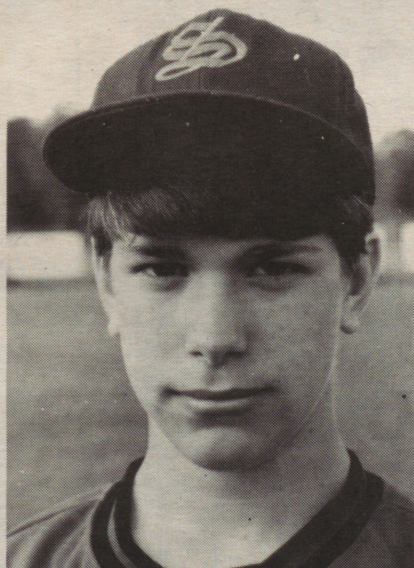
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STEPHEN SCHRUFF - 2B, P
5'8" 150 lbs.
Pass Christian, MS



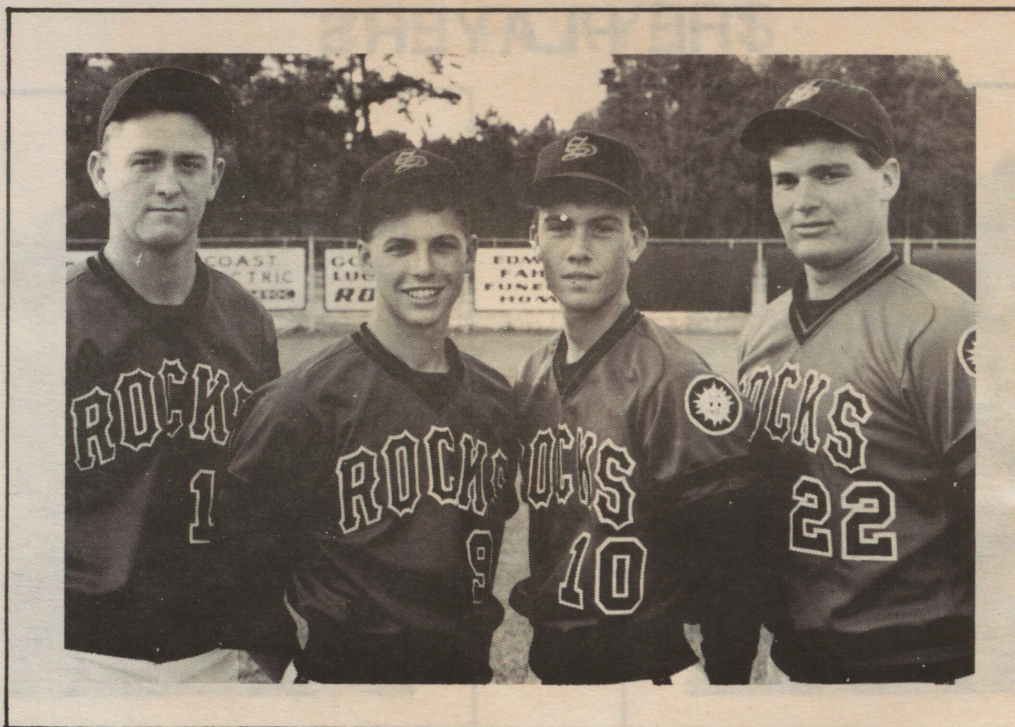
ROBBIE BOURGEOIS - C
5'9" 160 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



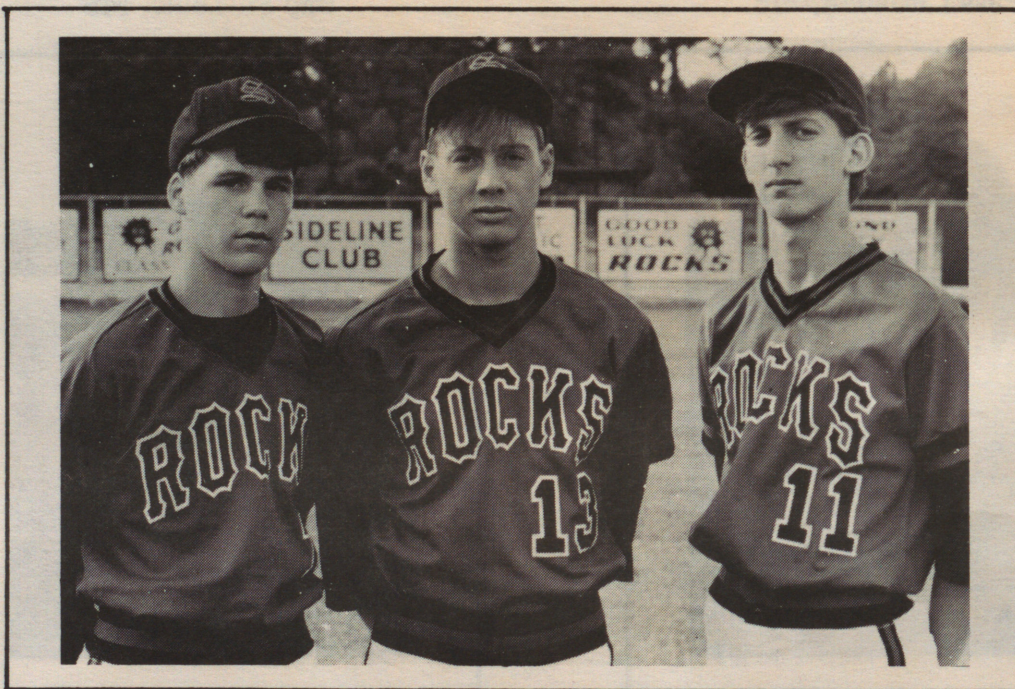
ADAM BREERWOOD - 1B
5'7" 150 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



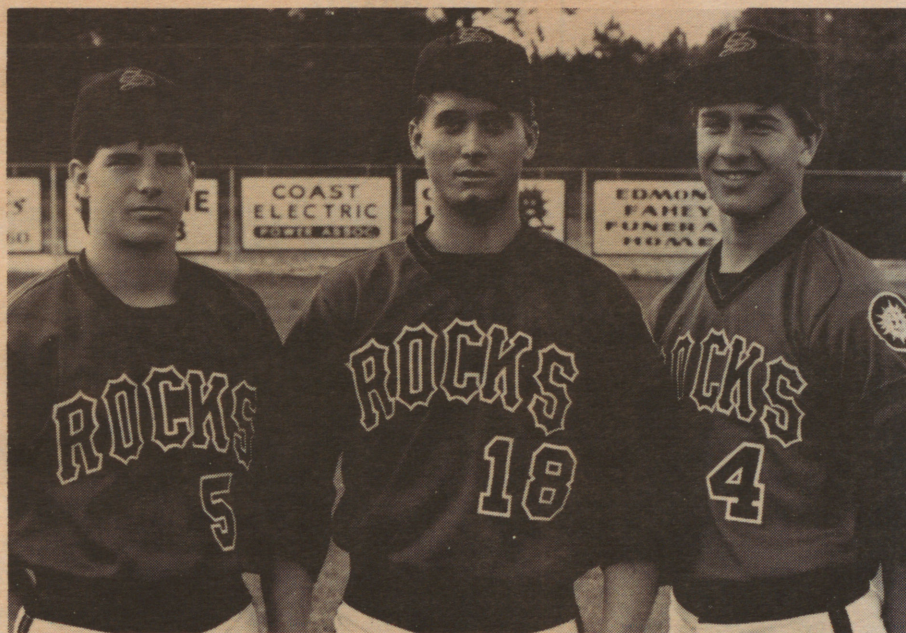
JOHN RUTHERFORD - 3B
5'8" 160 lbs.
Bay St. Louis, MS



VARSITY PITCHERS: Bert Dean, Greg Schruoff, Cedric Smith, and Lloyd Nicaud



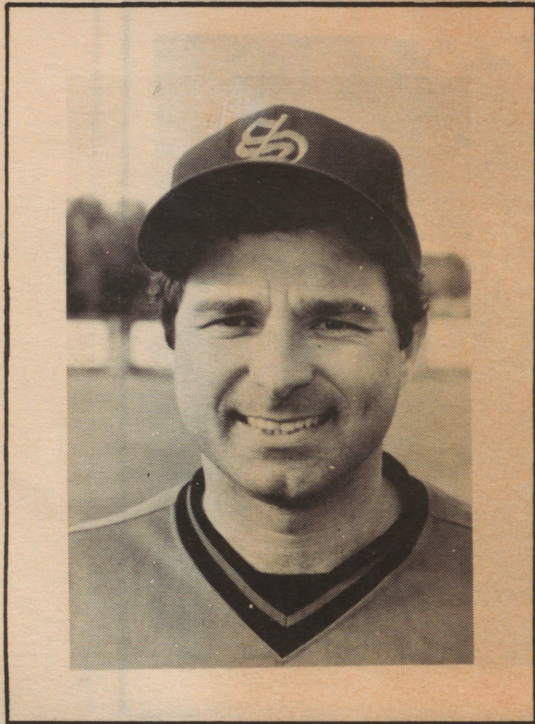
JUNIOR VARSITY PITCHERS: Stephen Schruoff, Kevin Jacobi, and Mick Quinlan



CATCHERS: Robbie Bourgeois, Robbie Bishop, and Scott Heitzmann



INFIELDERS: (Kneeling) John Rutherford, Stephen Schruoff, Adam Breerwood, and Kevin Jacobi.
(Standing) Robbie Bishop, Marc Matherne, Lloyd Nicaud, Cedric Smith, and Greg Schruoff.

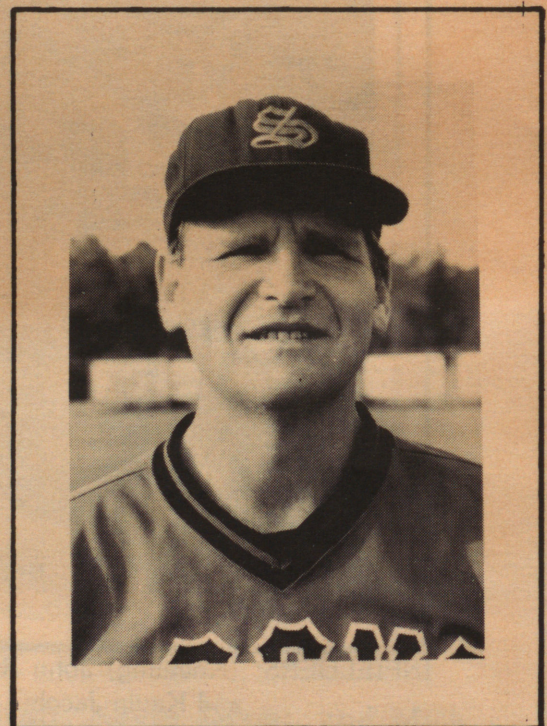


MIKE GEMELLI
HEAD COACH

Coach Gemelli began his athletic career in New Orleans, where he was born and raised. He pitched his way to City Championships in the 11-12 NORD League, and was a member of the Babe Ruth All Star squad. He completed his high school career at St. Stanislaus, where he lettered in football, basketball, and baseball for three years. He was captain of the basketball and baseball teams his senior year, and MVP in baseball his junior and senior years. As a senior, Mike hit .521 with 7 HR and 23 RBI's, leading the Rockachaws to a 15-3 record. In his senior year, he was the President of the SSC Student Council, Dorm president, Class president, Alpha Honor Roll student, and a member of the National Honor Society. His coaching duties at SSC have included Varsity Football, Basketball, and Head Baseball Coach. In April 1987 he married the former Lori Johnson. They reside in Bay St. Louis and are expecting their first child in July.

RORY RAFFERTY
ASSISTANT COACH

Assistant Coach Rory Rafferty was a 1973 graduate of St. Stanislaus. This year he has coached the junior high football and basketball teams, in addition to an assistant varsity baseball coach. He also is an assistant dormitory prefect of juniors and seniors. As a student at SSC, Coach Rafferty was involved in football, baseball, and basketball. Coach Rafferty resides in Pass Christian.





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**Lloyd Nicaud
Gino Ascani
Marc Matherne**

**Scott Heitzmann
Tom Zant
Bert Dean**

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**THE ST. STANISLAUS BASEBALL TEAM
EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE
FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WHO ASSISTED
IN THE ERECTION OF LIGHTS ON THE
S S C DIAMOND:**

MR. RANDY COSTELLO - (Mississippi Power Company)
Our area representative who approved the use of a bucket truck, pole-drilling truck, and tractor-trencher,
all necessary equipment to complete the job.

MR. DAVID PERANICH - (Mississippi Power Company)
who directed the erection of poles and operated the machinery.

MR. DAVID TURCOTTE - (Mississippi Power Company)
who operated the pole-drilling equipment

MR. PETER PLATZ - (Coast Electric Power Association)
who assisted in the design of lighting and the procurement of materials

MR. SHORTY KARL - (Coast Electric Power Association)
who assisted in the procurement of pole line hardware.

MR. LOUIS M. SCHRUFF
who installed the lighting, dug trenches, placed wire, covered trenches, and helped in every phase
of the project.

MR. WAYNE SMITH
who assisted in the overall project, especially on the crew erecting the poles.

MRS. BETTY SMITH
who assisted in the preparation of lunch and refreshments for workers throughout the day.

DR. J. D. RUTHERFORD
who assisted in the erection of poles, filled trenches, and repaired and re-groomed right field.

MR. CHIP MERRIGAN
who assisted primarily with the erection of poles.

MR. JAY EGAN
who provided special rates for the crane rental, along with providing us a skilled operator
who did an outstanding job.

JIM NECAISE - (Necaise Electric Company)
who supervised the electrical installation. Jim donated much of his personal time
to help further reduce our costs on the project.

MRS. CARL HEITZMANN
who provided food and refreshments and helped clean up the grounds.

MR. JOE MONTI & MR. CARL HEITZMANN
who organized and supervised the entire operation, saving us thousands of dollars and
providing us with a superior lighting facility. Without the help of these two dedicated individuals,
there would be no lights at our ballpark.

THANK YOU!!!!